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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title	: CONICAL SPRING BUFFER FOR AN ELEVATOR	Examiner: Eric E. Pico
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 18, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

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